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WEDNESDAY EVENING, AUG. 5, 1896

METROPOLIS MISCELLANY.

J. Biehl, leading undertaker. This will be a big potato year county.

Tomato juice erases tan from plexion.

troubles.

Picnics and festivals are in the height of the season.

The days are exactly half an hour shorter than a month ago.

Watermelons are now along the curb stones There is to be dancing at the Montezums

The aesthetic sunflower is already peeping over the garden wall.

Consult Gross, Blackwell & Co., if you contemplate buying a bicycle.

The populists of the city are contemplating organizing a Watson club.

If you have anything you desire the pub lie to know about, advertise in THE OPTIC. McKinley and protection is better than Bryan and free silver for any republican.

Keep in mind the date of the complimen tary ball to Prof. A. J. Sodring on August Try a regular dinner at the Bell house

short order restaurant—the best in the city for 25 cents. Santiago Blea, of Rowe, is again in the

county jail with a charge of drunkenness chalked up against him. A man may be ever so strong a political partizan, but he needn't be any the less a

gentleman on that account. E. Wigglesworth loaded 800 head of sheep to-day to be taken to Kansas for

feeding. They belonged to L. D. Naftzger. Some of the best home talent are preparing a drama, "The Arabian Nights," to be put on the stage here some time this

On the "bargain counter" we place, today a lot of summer lap-robes at 59 cents each-better get a pair while they are cheap, at Ilfeld's.

The "Nazareth" waists for boys and girls are remarkable garments; they save work and worry to mothers-see the new line just opened at Ilfeld's.

The sheriff of Guadalupe county has just received \$350.77 in full payment of a judgment rendered in favor of Dr. W. R. Tipton against F. N. Page.

Born, to A. R. Quinly and wife, this McKinley vote, says Al.

A telephone message from Henry Goke, at Sapello, announces that the infant child of Henry Goke, Jr., is very ill, and small hopes are entertained for its recovery.

Frank Trumbull, receiver of the U. P., D. & G. railroad, bas filed a report for the month of June, in the district court here, showing a balance on hand of \$354,839.58.

The four refrigerators, that are all we

A pienie party consisting of Mrs. C. Conley and daughter, Grace, and Mrs. Geo. H. Hartman and children, Earl and Beulah, are enjoying themselves in the hot springs eanon to-day.

The official visit of Grand Master N. E. Stevens to the I. O. O. F. and Daughters of Rebekah lodges, Monday evening, was an occasion of a very pleasant evening ending with a banquet,

There will be a concert given by the sable singers at A. M. E. church, Friday evening. Louis Ransom will also sing a few plantation echoes. Admission, 15 cents. All are cordially invited. 1t

A wholesale merchant of this city who undoubtedly knows what he is talking about, says trade in Las Vegas is remarkably good-in fact, much better than at any other point in the Territory.

Elijio Deuran, who had been serving time at hotel de Bergmann in Santa Fe, for appropriating cattle that did not belong to him, has again returned to this city with promises to lead a better life.

Again a cor-load of furniture is on the way for lifeld's, although it is such a very brief time since the last car was received Ilfeld sells these large quantities of furni-ture because of careful selection, good qualities and right prices.

Another invoice of our steel kitchen ranges has just come in. Judging from what the people who have bought these ranges tell us there are none which give better satisfaction, and, then, they are so reasonable in price. It ILFELD's.

THE OPTIC has it on excellent authority that, on account of the universal duline of trade, and the numerous other attrac tions lately, Albuquerque will be anable to hold the annual fair, so much a feature there every year. Such being the case let Las Vegas do something in that line. What is to hinder?

The ladies of the Obristian church will give a reception and social at Malboerf's hall this evening in behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Pile, who have been here for the last two weeks. A literary exercise will be on the program. Miss Harkness will give one of her best recitations and a cordial invita Hon is extended to all. Cake, ice cream A pu and coffee will be served for fifteen cents. Come all and have a good time, -

THE AUPREME COURT.

In Borrego Case in Progress-Other C

orning at 10 o'clock, with Chief Justice mith presiding and Associate Justices Bantz, Laughlin and Hamilton resent, says yesterday's New Mexican. In the matter of Francisco Gonzales y Borrego et al , plaintiffs in error, under death sentence, rs. the Territory of New Mexico, defendant in error, the motion of citor-general to quash and dismiss the writ of error and affirm the judgment of the court below was at once taken pr before Judges Smith, Collier and Bants, Judges Hamilton and Laughlin being disqualified on account of their connection with the cause in the court below. Catron

& Spiess are resisting the motion. The question involved is whether the case bould, under the statutes, have been taken up on a writ of error or on appeal, the soonly properly come before the court on ap peal and that the court is without jurisdic tion in criminal cases sent up on write of Precisely the same motion is pending,

involving the same question of law, in the cases of Perfecto Padilla, Sciplo Aguilar, Dionicio Sandoval and John Chamberlin, all under death sentence for marder and seking new trials on writs of error. In the Perfecto Padilla case Judge Laughlin is disqualified, in the Scipio Aguilar case Judge Smith can not sit, in the Dioncio Sandoval case Judge Collier is disqualified and in the John Chamberlin case Judge Hamilton is not qualified; but it fortunately so bappons, as the reader will observe, that in the hearing of the motions in these five different cases all the judges of the court will be called upon to pass on the question of law at issue and so the final judgment will be that of the entire court. It is understood that the other cases indicated will be heard at once.

The Next Irrigation Congress.
Col. Max Frost has returned to Santa Fe from Denver, where, among other business matters, he attended meetings of the executive committee of the National Irrigation Congress, of which committee he is a member for New Mexico. A full program of the sessions was mapped out and will be published in short order. The congress will hold in Phoenix, Arizona, on the 15th, 16th and 17th of December of this year, and it is expected will be well attended by prominent irrigators and scientific men and irrigation engineers, and lawyers interested in irrigation laws, from all over the west. A very full and interesting program and plan was laid out, and arrangenents were made by which very low rates will be secured for all those desiring to attend the congress, in addition to regular delegates. Low excursion rates for side trips to New Mexico, Mexico and California will also be secured. The citizens of Phonix are already at work preparing for the congress, and propose to make it a very enjoyable and complete affair. Large delegations from Nebraska, Utah, California.

tories at least will be represented by regular delegates, to be appointed by the governors thereof, and by irrigation companies and societies of irrigation engineers and representatives from the governments of Canada and Mexico will also be present

Wyoming, Colorado, Kansas, Oklahoma

and other western states and Territories have already signified their intention to

the congress. Seventeen states and Terri-

have already been selected ex-Governors Prince and Sheldon and ex-Surveyor-General Hobart, of New Mexico. This irrigation congress is growing in importance every year and yearly is doing morning at 3 o'clock, an eight-pound boy, more and more good. The 1897 session Mother and child doing well. Another will in all likelihood be held at Lincoln Neb. THE OPTIC hopes that New Mexic will be fully represented at the Phoenix congress, for water is king in New Mexico and irrigation and the storage of flood and rain waters and kindred subjects are of paramount importance to the people of New Mexico. Col. Frost, as member of the executive committee of the congress, is doing excellent work and all he can to forward New Mexico interests in that direction, and is ably seconded by the Territorial commission, which consists of himhave left, are going to be sold at about self, as chairman; Hon. G. A. Richardson three-fourths of their first price; that will of Roswell, as vice chairman; Edward F make it an object for anybody to buy right Hobart, of Hobart, as secretary-treasgree, and of ex-Governor L. Bradford Prince, of Santa Fe, and Major W. H. H. Llewellyn,

of Las Cruces, as commissioners. In all probability, a call for a meeting will be made, of the republicans who have not changed their faith in the past year but who still cling to the views of protec tion and bimetallism, as held by the republican party in years past, and which were championed by such leaders as James G. Blaine and John A. Logan.

This office is in receipt of a communica tion denying the recently reported marriage of Miss Romana Serrano and Santiago Monroy, and stating that they are not married, nor have they any intentions in that way. Now if THE OPTIC'S informant will please come forward for a good thrashing, all will be well.

Men's neckwear, elegant patterns, at Block's.

Board of Equalization

The Territorial board of equalisation with Dr. Tipton presiding and Messrs. Martinez, Ulrick and Hobart present, met this morning at 10 o'clock says yesterday's New Mexican, and has been hard at work all day. About thirty appeals have so far been filed and more are expected. The board will probably be in session all day to-morrow and possibly longer. Results will be printed in the New Mexican as they are disclosed.

Those \$4 men's shoes at Jake Block's

lefy competition Awarded Highest Honors-World's Fair.

DR:

40 Years the Standard.

PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Wm. Frank is in from Los Alamos, to

ilas to-day.

ery pleasant trip to Denver.

or an outleg in the mountains.

Henry Huneke and Wm. Hoenig are i own from their down-country ranches. B. A. Romero and wife drove down from

H. B. Roberts, La Cinta canon, and J

Rev. Craig and wife, of Santa Fe, are in be city attending the Presbyterian misnon meetings.

W. G. Dickey, S. Marquis, Denver; an the Plaza botel.

will soon leave overland for Colorado with Ludwig lifeld and L. H. Hofmeister and

outing at Harvey's ranch. L. D. Naftzger leaves in the morning

being called to the bedside of his mother. who went there about six weeks ago for her health, but who is not now expected to

Phil Prager, St. Louis; Misses Pearle and Ora Mitchell, Columbia, Mo.; Edgar Howbert, Colorado Springs, and W. H.

TRACK AND TRAIN.

que from Chicago.

In order to facilitate and encourage the mportation of curn from the United States to Mexico, the federal government has fixed freight rate for the railroads of 70c. Mexican currency, per 100 kilos, or 26 pounds, from the Rio Grande border to the City of Mexico. With this low rate in effect, the railroads connecting with the order can compete with the steamsbig ines, in the handling of corn. One thousand tone of corn have just been brought into Tampico by the steamer Corso, and is now being discharged. This cargo originated in Kansas City, and was shipped to Mexico by way of Mobile, Ala. attend and participate in the sessions of

Weekly Crop Bulletin.

Partly cloudy weather with occasional cash in the northwestern part of the Territory and the western part of Socorro county were not favored with much rain, and consequently the stock ranges are not in as good condition in those localities as other

parts of the Territory. There is abundant water supply for irrigation in the San Juan valley as well as all other parts, so that nothing is in need of water there except the stock ranges.

water is abundant. Stock has gained flesh rapidly and cenerally in good condition.

seived by the late frosts in the spring. in some localities peaches are abundant. Vegetable gardens are in excellent con-

are plentiful. New goods are arriving daily at Block's

Synopsis statement year ending December 31 t, 1895, Home Insurance Company, of New York, N. Y.: Gross assets.... Gross liabilities. Net surplus.....

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MEAT MARKET. J. S, Dillon, Prop.

-Dealer in all kinds of-FRESH MEATS Fresh

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nills, at 80e. per 100.

Rosenthal Bros', ball.

... Groceries.

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First-class Goods at Lowest Prices.

J. H. Burks went over to Santa Fe last

Wm. Hoshne is in town from Los Col-

Mrs. George T. Gould is in return from a

B. Romero and wife left this morning

Pablo Beaubien and Manuel Abreu, of t. Summer, are in Las Vegas to-day.

Watrous this morning on a shopping expe

Fisher, San Francisco, Cal., register at the New Optic.

L. Trujillo, Catakill, are registered a C. B. McKinnis and Jerry Woodbridge

family will leave to-morrow for a week's

for Colorado Springs, expecting to return oon for the purchase of more sheep. E. Marcotte leaves to-night for Arizons

Sebastain, San Francisco, are guests of th Depot hotel.

The Gulf has again been laying off mor top men up at Trinidad. Thursday eight and Sunday ten men were laid off.

Receiver C. W. Smith, of the A. & P. railway, in special car A. & P. 99, passed through last night, en route to Albuquer-

F. B. Strong, agent for the Atchison a Waldo, will be relieved soon, he having been granted a leave of absence, and will, with is family, spend a few weeks camping in

The week ending August 3d was an ex lient week for the growth and advance

nent of all crops.

In most parts of the Territory the feed on the ranges is in excellent condition and

Early apples are now in the market but the yield is small owing to the injury re-

dition and vegetables of excellent quality

INSURANCE COMPANIES STATEMENTS.

ynopsis statement year ending December 31st, 1895, Hartford Fire Insu ance Com-pany, of Bartford, Conn.: Synopsis statement year ending December Sist, 1880. Continental Insurance Com-pany, of New York, N. Y.:

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New, standard make, 96 Model bicycles to rent, by the hour, to both ladies and

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Las Vegas, N. M., March 9th, 1896.—
Roand trip rates to City of Mexico, from
Las Vegas, \$68.70. Going limit, sixty
days, with final roturn limit, of six months
from date of sale.

ATRE TO PHOENIX.

Tourist rates to Phoenix, Ariz., and return from Las Vegas, \$48.50. Limits,
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High grade bicycles, Thisties, Eagles,
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For particulars, apply to Brother Botulph.

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GET READY at Ilfeld's. have everything needed to make camp life happy

> Tents, Tarpaulins, Blankets, Quilts, Cooking Vessels, Firearms, Fishing Tackle, Ammunition.

\$1.00 Hammocks for 85c. " \$1.15. 1.50

Picnic Hammocks, and elegant hammocks for the piazza and the

.. 1.90. " 2.65. And finer same rate. 3.50 Surprise Party all the week for our patrons. The "Summer Sale" is going on just as before, although we do not publish a price-list this time—that's the Surprise.

The Plaza.

2.50

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PRICES BLOWN TO BITS! This Week only.

On Our Bargain Counter, at A YARD,

Dimity, Batist, Lawns, Challies and Ginghams. Must Make Room for Fall Stock.

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12/2C 32 inch Duck Suitings for

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Half Wool Challies for

Shirt Waists for

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12/2c Outing Flannel for

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and Berries. IN SEASON.

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The Sporleder Boot and Shoe Co., **Summer Reductions**

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10C Ladies' Ribbed Vests for 15C Ladies' Ribbed Vests for 40C Ladies' Ribbed Vest, Short Sleeves, for 50C Ladies' Ribbed Vests, Long Sleeves, for 20C 50C Ladies' Ribbed Combination Suits for

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